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Siren 'growl' test set for April 8

Delaware Emergency Management Agency and the Delaware State Police will conduct a test of the Salem/Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations Alert and Notification System on Tuesday, April 8, between the hours 5 and 9 p.m. The sirens will be set to emit a low "growl" sound.

This quarterly siren test involves sounding of the 37 sirens followed by a message from the Emergency Alert System (EAS) stating that this is only a test. The sirens in Delaware are located within a 10-mile radius of the power plant in New Jersey.

Should an actual emergency occur at Salem or Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations, sirens would alert the public to tune to one of the EAS stations for important emergency instructions.

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